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FOR: PLASTIC GLAZING SHEET WITH ADDED OVERMOULDED PLASTIC MATERIAL



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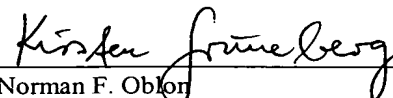
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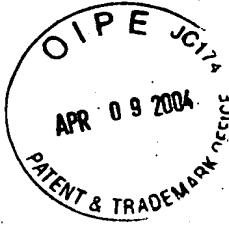
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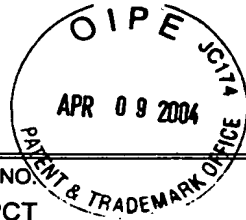
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2. The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

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3. ☒ A request for immediate examination under 35 U.S.C. 371(f) was received on DEC 19 2000 and the application will be examined in turn.

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